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SUBJECT: FURTHER NOTES ON PEREZ VISIT TO MOSCOW

1. EFFORT TO ELICIT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON RESULTS OF VISIT OF VENEZUELAN PRESIDENT PEREZ HAS NOT PRODUCED SIGNIFICANT RESULTS. VENEZUELAN EMBASSY THIRD SECRETARY LOSSADA-SARDI TOLD EMBOFF DEC 6 THAT PETROLEUM AGREEMENT WAS ONLY A RATHER VAGUE STATEMENT OF INTENTION TO BEGIN NEGOTIATIONS ON SUBJECT. LOSSADA-SARDI ESTIMATED THAT EVEN IF ALL OBSTACLES COULD BE OVERCOME, FINAL AGREEMENT WAS STILL AT LEAST 1-2 YEARS AWAY. HE ALSO TOLD EMBOFF SOVIETS AND VENEZUELAN HAD AGREED TO EXCHANGE OF COMMERCIAL ATTACHES, SAID HE DID NOT THINK THIS EXCHANGE WOULD TAKE PLACE IN IMMEDIATE FUTURE EITHER.

2. BRITISH EMBOFF CALLED DEC 1 ON VENEZUELAN DESK OFFICER IN MFA L.A. COUNTRIES DEPT, ANATOLIY KUZNETSOV, BUT WAS ABSOLUTELY UNABLE TO PIN KUZNETSOV DOWN TO SPECIFICS. KUZNETSOV SAID AGREEMENT ON ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION WAS OF A VERY GENERAL NATURE AND WAS INTENDED ONLY TO SET UP FOUNDATIONS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF SOVIET-
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VENEZUELAN TRADE. HE ADMITTED DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN TWO

SIDES DURING VISIT, BUT GAVE NO DETAILS. MATLOCK

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